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Via ECF

Hon. John G. Koeltl U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York 500 Pearl St., Rm. 14N New York, NY 10007

Re:

The Charter Oak Fire Insurance Company v. Accredited Surety and Casualty Company Insurance and State National Insurance Company Case No. 1:21-cv-05522-JGK

Dear Judge Koeltl:

This office represents plaintiff, The Charter Oak Fire Insurance Company ("Travelers"), in connection with the above-referenced action. We submit this letter request jointly with counsel for defendant, State National Insurance Company ("SNIC"), and counsel for defendant, Accredited Surety and Casualty Company ("Accredited"), pursuant to Rule I.E. of the Court's Individual Practices.

Travelers sought leave of the Court to move for partial summary judgment against SNIC and Accredited on August 18, 2023. See Dkt. No. 47. The same day, the Court scheduled a pre-motion conference for September 13, 2023. See Dkt. No. 48. On August 24, 2023, the parties requested the pre-motion conference be adjourned to allow the parties' settlement in principle to be finalized. See Dkt. No. 49. The Court granted the parties' request and adjourned the pre-motion conference to November 15, 2023. See Dkt. No. 50.

The parties respectfully request a final adjournment of the pre-motion conference to December 15, 2023 to allow the parties to finalize their settlement in principle. This request does not affect any other scheduled dates or deadlines.

Thank you for Your Honor's attention and consideration.

Conference adjourned 5 12/14/23 at 100 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

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